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Introductory Comments

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office Action mailed February 11, 2005, the Applicants elect Group I containing claims 1-24 that correspond to FIG. 4A with traverse, and submit the following Amendment and Reply.

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 and are reflected in the listing of the claims.
- **Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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